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Sumitomo Chemical Reports Unrealized Losses on Securities as of December 31, 2014

Sumitomo Chemical has assessed its total unrealized losses on securities as of December 31, 2014, as shown below.

Assessed securities

(A)	Total unrealized losses on securities as of	¥23,471 million	
	December 31, 2014 (consolidated)	≠23,471 IIIIII0II	
(B)	Consolidated ordinary income for the fiscal year	V111 100 million (01 10/)	
	ended March 31, 2014 (A/Bx100)	¥111,109 million (21.1%)	
(C)	Consolidated net income for the fiscal year ended	¥26.077 million (62.5%)	
	March 31, 2014 (A/Cx100)	¥36,977 million (63.5%)	

Note: 1. All of the "investment in affiliates" with market values that could be calculated rationally, including securities listed on overseas financial markets, were assessed.

2. Book value of assessed securities	¥66,326 million
Market value of assessed securities	¥42,855 million

(Reference)

Unrealized gains on securities as well as the net unrealized gains as of December 31, 2014 are shown below.

(D) Unrealized gains on securities as of December 31, 2014	¥91,983 million
(E) Net unrealized gains as of December 31, 2014 (D-A)	¥68,512million